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## WIRELESS TELECOMMUNICATIONS BUREAU ANNOUNCES THE GRANT OF 21 MULTIPLE ADDRESS SYSTEMS LICENSES

## **AUCTION NO. 59**

## Report No. AUC-05-59-G (Auction No. 59)

On May 18, 2005, the Federal Communications Commission completed the auction of 4,226 Multiple Address Systems ("MAS") licenses ("Auction No. 59"). In that auction, twenty-six winning bidders won a total of 2,223 licenses. On July 6, 2005, the Wireless Telecommunications Bureau announced that the applications of twenty-two of the winning bidders in Auction No. 59 were accepted for filing. Upon further review and examination, twenty-one of those applications, listed in Attachment A to this Public Notice, have been found to be complete and in conformance with the Commission's Rules. In addition, in Auction No. 59, all winning bidders' upfront payment amounts are sufficient to satisfy their total winning bids. Accordingly, on October 12, 2005, we granted the twenty-one applications listed in Attachment A, pursuant to Section 309(a) of the Communications Act of 1934, as amended, 47 U.S.C. § 309(a), and Section 0.331 of the Commission's Rules, 47 C.F.R. § 0.331. The grant of these applications will serve the public interest, convenience, and necessity.

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> See Multiple Address Systems Auction Closes: Winning Bidders Announced for Auction No. 59, Public Notice, DA 05-1392 (WTB rel. May 25, 2005).

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> See Wireless Telecommunications Bureau Announces that Applications for Multiple Address Systems Licenses Are Accepted for Filing, *Public Notice*, DA 05-1959 (WTB rel. July 6, 2005) (*Accepted for Filing PN*). We note that four Auction No. 59 applications – those filed by Nevada Power Company (FCC File No. 0002204752), Sierra Pacific Power Company (FCC File No. 0002204776), Repeater Network LLC (FCC File No. 0002217644), and Paging Systems, Inc. (FCC File No. 0002232564) – were not listed in the *Accepted for Filing PN*, and are not listed in this Public Notice, because they included waiver requests. Those applications are being addressed separately.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> The application filed by Intelligent Transportation & Monitoring Wireless LLC (FCC File No. 0002193948) remains in pending status because it includes a request for a Tribal Land Bidding Credit, eligibility for which requires that the applicant amend the application within a specified period to attach pertinent certifications. *See* 47 C.F.R. § 1.2110(f)(3)(ii).